

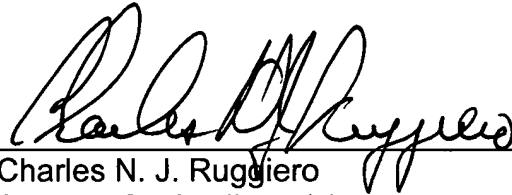
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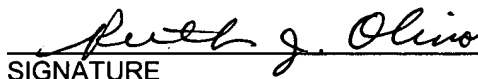
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2006, Applicants respond as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper.

Listing of the Claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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